



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5923

LCO No. 1605

Referred to Committee on Government Administration and
Elections

Introduced by:
(GAE)

***AN ACT CONCERNING THE PURCHASE OF STATE SUPPLIES,
MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

1 Subsection (g) of section 18-88 of the general statutes is repealed and
2 the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

3 (g) Each state department, agency, commission or board shall
4 purchase its necessary products and services from the institution
5 industries if such products and services are produced or manufactured
6 and made available by such industries, provided such products and
7 services are of comparable price and quality and in sufficient quantity
8 as may be available for sale or offered for sale outside the institutions.
9 [Except for emergency purchases made under section 4-98, the
10 Comptroller shall not approve any purchase order or commitment for
11 the purchase, other than from such industries, of any such supplies,
12 materials or products as are listed in said catalog and available in
13 sufficient quantity from such industries.]

Statement of Purpose:

To repeal provisions that prohibit the Comptroller from approving purchases of supplies, materials or products from standard vendors if the supplies, materials or products are available in sufficient quantity from correctional institution industries.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]